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Mr. J. A. SALDANHA :—" May I enquire whether the settlement officers are going to publish reports from time to time of their operations so that the public may know of the progress they are making ? "

The hon. Mr. A. Y. G. CAMPBELL :—" Settlement officers do not publish reports, but when the reports are received by Government they will decide whether the reports should be published or not."

Mr. J. A. SALDANHA :—" Have the Government received any reports at all ? "

The hon. Mr. A. Y. G. CAMPBELL :—" I must ask for notice."

Mr. J. A. SALDANHA :—" May I know whether the Government have laid down any principles as to the rates of increase that should be paid after the resettlement ? "

The hon. Mr. A. Y. G. CAMPBELL :—" I must ask for notice of the question."

Village Establishments

Jamabandi allowances to village officers in ryotwari areas.

*79 Q.—Mr. A. B. SHETTY : With reference to my question No. 1673, answered on 11th March 1929, will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state whether the Government have come to any decision regarding the giving of jamabandi allowances to village officers in ryotwari areas ?

A.—The question has not yet been settled as the financial results of the restoration of the village officers have not yet been finally worked out.

Mr. A. B. SHETTY :—" May I know by which time approximately Government expect to work out the financial results of the restoration of the villagers ? "

The hon. Mr. A. Y. G. CAMPBELL :—" I cannot give a definite answer."

Wild Animals

Rewards for killing wild animals in South Kanara.

*80 Q.—Mr. A. B. SHETTY : Will the hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state—

(*a*) how many cattle have been killed by wild animals in South Kanara in 1927 and in 1928 ;

(*b*) what is the total amount of rewards given for killing tigers in 1927 and in 1928 ;

(*c*) what is the amount of reward given at present for killing a tiger and whether a larger sum was given at any time in previous years ; and

(*d*) if so, why it has been reduced now ?

	Year.	Number of cattle killed.
A.—(*a*)	1927	4,516
	1928	Figures not available.

		Amount of rewards given in the South Kanara district.
		RS.
(*b*)	1927	441
	1928	360